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TORONTO TIDINGS

Mr. Ernest Hackbush spent his Easter vacation in Hamilton.

Miss Mary Kinsman went up to her parental home, near Swinton Park, for her Easter cheer.

Mr. Herbert Whealy, who came back from Chicago a few weeks ago, has secured a very good position here and will stay here.

Mrs. Lionel Bell was very much pleased to receive a visit for a few days from her father and mother and sister-in-law, Mrs. Casey Kitchenson, and two of her children, all from Trenton. They returned home on Easter Sunday.

Mr. R. Malcolm King, of Frankford, came up to see his wife, and little babe, this being the first time he had seen little Shirley, hence his joy. Mr. and Mrs. King were roundly congratulated, as they turned up at our conference.

Mr. Frank Harris spoke very interestingly on how Satan tempts the world, at our Epworth League, on April 3d.

On Palm Sunday, March 24th, all the Catholic adherents of Loretto Abbey were given a very pleasant treat. First they were conveyed in autos out to St. Augustine Seminary, away down the Kingston Road, where they were received by the young students, who are fast acquiring our signs, as evident by the demonstration they gave. Then followed a delightful luncheon, after which the day was pleasantly spent and at nightfall they were safely brought back to their various homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Huband left for their home in Ottawa, on April 7th, after over a week's visit with relatives and friends here and in Brantford.

The "Frats" held their regular meeting on April 4th, and afterwards staged a pleasant social to which a good crowd turned out, including several outside visitors. All report a good time.

The Catholic Fraternity held a pleasant Easter reunion at Loretto Abbey and the following outsiders were present: Mr. and Mrs. William Quinlan, of Stratford; Mr. Achille Walker, of Windsor, and Mr. Roy Antaya, of Chatham.

After a week's visit here with Miss Ethel Griffith and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Reeves and other friends, Mr. and Mrs. W. Quinlan left on April 6th, for their home in Stratford.

CONFERENCE ZEPHYRS

Our 29th Annual Bible Conference has now passed into the labyrinth of oblivion and left helpful and pleasant memories in its wake.

As is the usual custom, the church was crowded to the doors during the service Easter Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jones and children, of Palgrave, motored in on Easter Sunday morning and took in our meetings, afternoon and evening.

Not forgetting their beloved father's custom, the Misses Annie and Bella Mathison took in our Sunday service and afterwards mingled in the vast crowd as of yore. Their presence quickly brought to mind the fatherly love of our much lamented superintendent.

Mr. Lloyd Herbert Thornton came in by T. T. C. bus to swell our attendance and to renew old acquaintances. He has steady work along with his father at the Government Experimental Farm at Vineland Station, where he has been for the past four years, and likes it fine. Wishing to be posted on the doings of his friends, he gladly gave the writer his subscription for the JOURNAL.

Miss Helen A. Middleton, of Niagara Falls, came over for the conference on Saturday, returning the following evening. She was a guest at "Mora Glen."

It was announced at our service on Sunday that Mr. Fred Bridgen and his sister, Miss Bertha Bridgen, son and daughter of our beloved and departed Supt. F. Bridgen, had given an Easter offering of one hundred and five dollars to our church fund, in memory of their late father. Such a large donation was deeply appreciated.

All were well pleased with the rendition of "Weeping will not Save You," so effectively rendered by the Mesdames F. E. Harris and F. E. Doyle on Easter Sunday evening.

It was a delight to all to meet our old friend, Mrs. R. C. Slater, widow of the late Mr. Slater, and were glad to find her so much better after such a long siege of illness. She never forgets her old friends.

One of the most interesting visitors, who was greatly impressed over our church and the manner of its service, was Mr. Albert Little, of Niagara Falls. Although not deaf, he had heard much of our church so came over to see it, as well as his mother who was here. In company with ye writer, he took a close and thorough survey of Sunday afternoon service as well as our farewell supper, and was deeply enamored over all he beheld. He is a very fine young man and rapidly acquiring our sign-language, which he believes is the proper mode of communication to the deaf. We will look forward to frequent visits from him.

Frank E. Harris gave a well-defined address, Saturday afternoon, forcing home the understanding that all who come to Jesus will He not force out.

Mr. Howard J. Lloyd, of Brantford, who was the only outside speaker on the programme, made a deep impression when he spoke Saturday evening on Christ's ever calling plea, "Come unto Me now." With all his clear way of expression in signs, he was a master mind for the time being and all greatly enjoyed his sermon. Mrs. Lloyd and children came with him, but we regret they could not stay over Sunday.

Aurora, as usual, fell in line and sent down Mr. and Mrs. F. A. West and family and Messrs. Herbert McKenzie and Eli Corbieri, as its quota. Mrs. McKenzie was afraid to bring her infant so far, and Mrs. Corbieri was unable to leave home, owing to illness.

Miss Ethel Etherington was down from Hamilton for the conference and visited her relatives here in the meantime.

Mr. Charles A. Elliott gave a very forceful sermon on Easter Sunday evening that was very solemn and to the point.

Some twenty-seven of our friends voluntarily came forward and gave up their lives to God. Blessed are they that seek His faith.

Mr. and Mrs. Danied Gerow, of Peterboro, along with Mrs. Angus McKenzie, motored out to Bewdley, on Saturday evening, preceding Easter Sunday, where they remained over night at the White brothers' homestead, and early in the morn set out for our city, bringing along with them Mr. Joseph White and his sister, Miss Margaret White. They all arrived in good time for our morning service and their bobbing up was a complete yet pleasant surprise to all, and no wonder they were warmly welcomed. As Mr. White and his sister had not seen many of their old schoolmates for nearly half a century, it was amusing to see them guessing who was who, but when some old sign or habit of schoolhood days was recalled, their identity was easy. Mrs. Gerow was formerly Gertie Pilling, of Peterboro, and Mrs. McKenzie was Miss Mary Johnston, of Belleville, before their marriages.

Our West End Central and East End Sunday School classes were merged into one huge class on Easter Sunday, and was held at our church with Asa Forrester in charge.

A choir made up of young ladies gave a nice hymn, entitled, "Come Saviour Christ, from Above," at the evening service on Easter Sunday. Those in the choir were the Misses Beulah Wilson, Alma Brown, Dorothy Baillie, Edna and Gwendoline Egginton, Erna Sole and Gladys Blais.

It is seldom we see Mrs. Charles Rolls, but when she smilingly bobbed up at our conference, she promptly received many a hearty handshake from her admiring friends.

Mr. R. M. Thomas, the deaf bard of Oakville, was in our midst on Easter Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Mason rendered a very interesting hymn Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mason and cousins returned from their trip through the South on April 1st.

"Oh, how beautiful and inspiring" said a hearing friend to the reporter as he watched, with fixed eyes, the rendition of "There is a Home Eternal," on Easter Sunday afternoon, by our well known and seasoned choir, made up of Mesdames F. E. Doyle, W. R. Watt, H. E. Grooms, H. Whealy and H. W. Roberts. This visitor confessed that the sign-language has its captivating charms and ecstasies. The second verse reads as follows:—

Flowers are ever springing,
In that Home so fair,
Little children singing
Praises to Jesus there.
How they swell the glad anthem
Ever around His throne
When, oh! when shall I see the
Beautiful, beautiful Home.

The Rev. Mr. Darnell was the chief speaker Easter Sunday afternoon, and gave a sermon that carried great weight and refreshing formula on the wonderful love of Jesus, whose body we had pierced with our sins. Mr. Darnell is about twenty-two years of age, and a brilliant exponent of the word. He is a student preparing to go to far off Borneo with the glad tidings of Salvation. Mrs. J. R. Byrne graciously interpreted for him. The church was crowded to the doors and the free-will offering was very responsive.

AT THE TIKING POST

A few years ago, these two met as friends, then Cupid had a say, and finally this young Lochinvar decided to make ends meet. After months of wooing, this blushing young maiden made up her mind that he was a chap worth having. Seeing that the rose-neath path was going smoothly ahead, they decided to prepare the "nest" of the future. In the move they look the right course, and set an example that all intending benedicts should emulate. Finding a new home to her liking, he purchased it and since then they have been furnishing it with all the paraphanelia for their future happiness. All complete, the smiling groom then asked his hopeful to name her "day of days." She hesitated and thought and finally picked out the third of April, 1929. So on that date the last finishing touch to years of anxiety, responsibility and hope, was applied with the tieing of the "Tie that Binds," and here goes the rest. On the above mentioned date, at the hour of three in the afternoon at the Westmoreland Avenue United Church paragonage a very pretty nuptial event occurred when Miss Gladys Valetta Hardy, youngest daughter of the late Charles Hardy and of Mrs. Robert Skinner, was united in holy wedlock to Mr. Emrys James Crocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Crocker, of Toronto. The pastor, the Rev. Mr. E. H. Toye officiated, but being able to follow the minister, the contracting parties required no interpreter. The bride was attended by her niece, Miss Mildred Allen, while her nephew, Chas. Hardy, ably supported the groom. Only the relatives and personal friends of the bride and groom were invited. After the ceremony all repaired to the bride's parental home at 414 Westmoreland Avenue, where a grand wedding repast was served. A wedding cake, nearly two feet high and beautifully ornamented, was the cynosure of all eyes. Amid congratulations and confetti, the newlyweds left towards evening for a wedding trip to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Cleveland and other points across the line, the bride wearing a lovely traveling suit.

Upon their return they will live in their already furnished home at 198 Cranbrook Avenue, where they will be at home after May 1st, and where our best wishes follow for a long happy connubial life. Mrs. Crocker was born at Fortune, Newfoundland, and came to Toronto with her parents when two years old, and has lived in the "Queen City" ever since. At ten she entered the Belleville school, where she spent six years, graduating with honors. She is a very young and popular lady, well liked by every one. Mr. Crocker was born in Toronto, then went to Newfoundland, where he spent fifteen years, three of which were at the Halifax School for the Deaf, and High School of Commerce. He is also very well liked by all his friends. The bride received many beautiful presents, including gifts from her working mates and from the Girls' Progressive Club of our church, of which she is a member.

LONDON LEAVES

We are pleased to report that Mr. A. H. Cowan's blood-poisoned hand is fast yielding to treatment and Harper is back to work at the post-office again.

Mr. Cyrus Youngs visited the deaf and other friends here from March 23d to 25th.

We are glad to say that Mrs. Ben. Cone, who recently underwent an operation at the Woodstock Hospital, is making very satisfactory progress towards recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pincombe, of Poplar Hill, spent the Easter recess very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Comford.

Mr. James Adkin, of Brantford, accompanied by his brother and sister-in-law, motored down for a visit to Mrs. Adkin's parents on March 30th, returning home the following evening. Messrs. George Moore and W. H. Gould, Jr., were recent visitors to Mr. Andrew Noyes in Denfield, also Mr. Ben. Cone in Woodstock and had a nice time at both places.

WYOMING WAVES

Miss Jean Wark was the guest of Miss Edith Squires in Petrolea during the latter's sad bereavement. Jean and Edith are friends, indeed.

Owing to the serious illness of her aged mother in Forest, Mrs. William Wark has been down there and is there at time of writing, looking after the wants of her invalid parent.

Our very deepest sympathy goes out to Miss Edith Squires, of Petrolea, in the sad passing away of her dear father, who ceased this life on his seventy-fifth birthday, March 31st. He was well known to many of the deaf and very popular.

LISLE LINERS

Thomas Phillips, brother of William Phillips, died a short time ago, in Detroit.

Mrs. William Phillips has returned from a sojourn in Toronto, where she attended the Bible Conference and reports a grand time.

Mr. William Phillips was deprived of his mother by death on January 4th last. She passed away in Alliston in the eighty-sixth year of her age.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Brown are doing very well on the farm of the latter's cousin, and are anticipating a busy Spring.

Mrs. William Phillips spent over two months lately, very pleasantly with Mr. and Mrs. David Lennox in Phelps-ton, then a few weeks with Mrs. Eliah Latimer, near Everett.

After the Bible Conference, which she attended at Easter, Mrs. W. J. Baird, of Beeton, remained over in that city for a visit, and we now hear she is working at Thornhill.

OWEN SOUND OPTIONS

Mrs. Percy Smith spent the Easter recess at her old home in Hamilton and attended the wedding of a niece on March 30th.

The condition of Mrs. Hugh R. Carson is about the same, but with the coming of warmer weather we look for and hope for an improvement. She has been bearing up her troubles cheerfully all through.

Mr. and Mrs. James Green, of Chesley, motored up to this city, Easter week-end, and called to see Mr. and Mrs. Hugh R. Carson, and how the latter was improving. We sympathize with Mrs. Green in the recent death of her father, who died so far away.

At time of writing, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Goetz is laid up with the measles, which are very prevalent around here now.

Glad to report that Percy Smith is out again, after being laid up several days with a severe illness.

One more has been added to our deaf population in the person of Miss Keyes, of Hepworth. She and her hearing sister now work in this city, and the former, who never knew we had services for the deaf here, is anxious to attend this Spring.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

The writer was delighted to receive Easter greetings from ye Editor, Mr. Edwin A. Hodgson, who was then cruising in the waters of the Caribbean Sea among the islands of the West Indies.

On March 27th, a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Crough, of Walkerville, the fourth in line. Sorry

to say the two next to the oldest have been quite ill in the hospital with scarlet fever, but at time of writing are improving.

Mrs. George Elliott, of Long Branch, has returned from a pleasant two weeks' visit to friends in the Windsor Peninsula, much refreshed from her recent arduous duties and bereavement.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hoy, of Avonton, upon the birth of their first child, a daughter, on March 21st. The little one was born in the Stratford Hospital.

Miss Viola Johnston, of Waterloo, has now secured a nice position in Kitchener. She was down to Milton for Easter, with Miss Clara Hartley and the Patterson brothers, and reports a very good time.

And still they come in from far and near, as will be seen by the following, who want the JOURNAL: Miss Grace Watts, of Thedford; Joseph White, of Bewdly; Lloyd H. Thornton, of Vineland; Bruce T. Yarrow, of Belleville; Daniel Gerow, of Peterboro, and William Cameron, of Toronto.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

Portland, Oregon

The Easter Party given Saturday night, March 30th, at the W. O. W. Temple, by the ladies of the S. F. L. Club, was a success in every way. Many very interesting games were played. A hat-clipping game was played, in which Mrs. Wm. Young won the prize, for the prettiest. Mr. Chas. Lynch proved have the funniest hat, in the form of a baby cap. He also got a prize. A big brown basket, full to the top with nuts and fruits of all kinds, was raffled off. Mrs. H. P. Nelson held the lucky number that won the beautiful basket. Bunco games were played also. Mrs. B. L. Craven, who is always a hustler at the club's parties, was dressed in red, with a cute red bonnet, looked like little Red Riding Hood. The event ended with fine refreshments. About seventy were present. Visitors who attended were Mr. and Mrs. G. Eagliston, of St. Helena, Ore. The party was captained by Mrs. A. Kautz, Mrs. Craven, Mrs. Spieler, Mrs. Greenwald and Miss Yodl.

Ralph, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Reichle, came home from College to spend Easter with his folks. He returned Monday after Easter. Ralph has only one more term after this one, when he will get his degree.

Mrs. Robert Lines, who has been very ill during the past winter, is some better. Her many friends are wishing for her speedy recovery.

Miss Helen Moller is now enjoying a two days' vacation each week, as she is only working four days until business picks up again. Helen seems to enjoy it, after working steady during the past year. She has worked for many years in an overall factory and makes big money.

There will be a May Party at the Hope Lutheran Church on Saturday, May 11th, at 8 p.m. All welcome.

Mr. A. Kautz spent Saturday and Sunday, March 30th and 31st, at his folks' country home at Tillamook, Ore.

The basket ball team from the Berkeley, Cal., deaf school came up to play the Salem, Ore. team on Saturday, March 23d, and were beaten by the score of 17 to 14. The visitors came up on Friday, and were given a big reception upon their arrival, returning home Sunday following.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jack will please note their new address: Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jack, 924 St. Helena Avenue, Chehalis, Wash. This news was sent to the writer. The Jacks, who have only lived out here in the Northwest a couple of years, have made many friends during that time. They were first made acquainted through Mrs. C. Stegner, of Detroit, Mich, who at one time lived in Portland, where the Stegners have many friends. Mrs. Stegner and Mrs. Jack were schoolmates in the Indiana school. The Stegners moved to Detroit many years ago, where Mrs. Stegner landed a good job at big wages. They now own a fine large home in that beautiful city.

H. P. N.

April 4, 1929.

BUFFALO

One of the many side trips that the visitors to the N. A. D. convention in Buffalo in 1930 can take with profit, and at a minimum of expense, is to East Aurora, the home of the Roycrofters. It is situated fifteen miles south of Buffalo, and is approached in all manner of conveyance as suits the visitor, but the one by auto is the better way, as it takes him through a delightful countryside with Nature in all her glory.

Who has not heard of Elbert Hubbard? Or "Little Journeys"? Elbert Hubbard, founder of Roycroft, built well and strong and today they stand as a splendid heritage to the memory of the man who went down with the Titanic. And his work today is carried on by his gifted son, Elbert Hubbard II.

Today Roycroft Shops cover many acres. A group of picturesque buildings of ivy-covered boulders, wherein labor scores of workers in arts and crafts.

Roycroft products are known the world over. Roycroft typography is in acknowledged leadership in the "Art preservative of all arts." And in the art of exquisite book-binding, the Roycrofters have no superior. And in the making of beautiful and useful things in hand-wrought copper, they take no back seat.

One of the most interesting buildings operated by the Roycrofters is The Roycroft Inn, famous for its immaculate cleanliness, its hospitality and its unparalleled cuisine. It is the headquarters for tourists and has accommodations for three hundred guests. It has an auditorium seating two hundred people, also a fine library and reception room.

Truly a remarkable and ingenious creation of the best in a man, one who strived for and made the world a little better place than when he found it, and Elbert Hubbard II. is carrying on the best traditions of his illustrious father.

Mr. C. Allen Dunham, of Arcade, is chairman of Roycroft committee, and will see to it that all who make this trip will have a most enjoyable as well as educational trip, and one that will linger long in their memory. It is possible that a cavalcade of autos will make the trip to East Aurora, which will bring the whole cost to the minimum.

Rochester Division, No. 52, N. F. S. D., is right out after the Lenten days with announcement of an affair, "All Fool's Night," for April 20th. It is described as a rough-housing event, and the aggressive committee is particularly anxious to see a heira of young and old Rochesterward on that day. In case of the former are expected to come in perambulators, and the latter, in modern conveyances, autos, but the main thing is COME and be "Merry Fools" for just one night, and you will feel the better for it.

At the St. Patrick's card party at Elmwood Music Hall, March 16th, winners of each class were: Pedro, Mrs. Geaboyshi, R. Martina, Miss J. Mead, Mrs. F. Krahling, Miss A. Gaeta, Louis Wanat, William J. Bus, William Jodoin, Miss M. Johnson, Mrs. J. Kruszona, Mrs. W. Clemen, Elmer A. Briel, Miss R. Hoag, Mrs. A. J. Basher, Mrs. Foster, E. Hahn, Mrs. Joseph B. Spain, A. Kaufman, Mrs. P. Kruszona and John Phillippe.

Bridge—Leo Cyka and Mrs. R. P. Ode. Hearts—Mrs. Leo Coughlin. Door Prize—Walter Carl.

This year's Regent's class at Le Couteux St. Mary's school made an Easter trip on March 29th, to Washington, D. C., and had a thoroughly enjoyable time. Gallaudet College, among others, was taken in.

Those who made the trip were: Misses Irene Basher, Cecile Barbusch, Betty Bateman, Pauline Schalk, Eleanor Blanz, Loraine Conley, Margaret Johnson, Rose Hoag, Josepha Szemanska, Alice McVan, Mary Schueler, Marjorie Ross, Luverna Schmuck and Russell Martina.

THE DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL of a few weeks ago carried an obituary notice of W. L. Hill, owner and editor for many years of the *Athol Transcript*. While a student at Gallaudet, young Hill gave early evidence of his aggressive nature, which years later served him in good stead in the stormy exigencies of every day life. At that time, representing Massachusetts in Congress, was General Benjamin Butler, whose cruelty and atrocities during the Civil War earned him the nickname of "The Beast," and not without good reason. It appeared that in some way Butler had unpleasant dealings with a deaf-mute that greatly incensed him, to the extent that he hereafter classified all the deaf as "Half Men." And this rankled in the breast of young Hill, who could not sit back supinely and be catalogued that unspeakable epithet. One historic day he went up to the Capitol and handing to the doorman a note, asking it be given to General Butler, and without more ado made his way out. As to the nature of General Butler's feelings or what he said—probably plenty and uncomplimentary—history does not say. The note read: "To 'The Beast' from 'Half-Man'."

At the present time there are seventeen deaf working at the Fisher Body Co., and so eminently satisfactory are their services that it said that the foreman there wants more come.

Among the next attractions of the near future is a social party, to be held under the auspices of Div. No. 40, N. F. S. D., on April 20th, Place, Crescent Hall. The chairman in charge is Felix Nowak, and under his able leadership a large attendance is anticipated, and rightly so when the incentive is considered. The program is in the stage of formation and promises to be up the standard of past events. Abetted by their wives, sweethearts and friends, the boys will make whoopee on that night.

May 30th promises to be a red-letter day in deaf circles hereabouts, the occasion being the big Field Day on the athletic field at St. Mary's, under the auspices of the Local N. A. D. Fund. Wm. Jodoin is chairman in charge, and even at this early date is busily engaged in getting together an attractive program. More anon.

Edward Connors spent the last week-end in Syracuse, the guest of Thomas Hinchey, a former Buffalonian. Eddie says Tom is itching to own a Willys-Knight sedan and burn the roads between here and Syracuse, and using for ballast a fair charmer of the Salt City. Tom is reported doing well as linotype operator on the Syracuse Journal.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burmeister took advantage of the first winter excursion put on by the Pennsylvania Railroad a few weeks previous and hopped off to Olean, visiting relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Burmeister are safely ensconced in their new Smith Street home, and like it better than the old one they sold.

Among the interesting requests for information regarding the coming N. A. D. convention in 1930, was from Miss Mary J. Purtell, of New York City, social worker for the deaf. She is a sister of the well-known Rev. M. A. Purtell, S.J., pastor of the Catholic deaf of Greater New York. Both asked for folders.

Miss Purtell sent along a piece of genuine shamrock, as a token of good luck and for the success of the coming convention.

The above is a sample of the great interest manifested, and is a source of great satisfaction to the local committee, showing that their labors are appreciated and that interest in the coming convention is great.

CHARLES N. SNYDER.

PROTESTANT-EPISCOPAL MISSIONS.

Dioceses of Washington and the State of Virginia, and West Virginia. Rev. H. Loreaine Tracy, General Missionary, 518—9th Street, N. E., Washington, D. C. Washington, D. C.—St. Mark's Church, A and 3d Streets, S. E. Services first and third Sundays, 3 p.m. Bible class, other Sundays of each month at same hour. Richmond, Va.—St. Andrew's Church, Laurel and Beverley Streets. Service Second Sunday, 11 a.m. Bible Class, other Sundays, 11 a.m.

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Whenever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

Notice concerning the whereabouts of individuals will be charged at the rate of ten cents a line.

Specimen copies sent to any address on receipt of five cents.

In a letter written to the *Troy Daily Record*, for a department of that paper, called "Pulse of the People," Mr. Clarence A. Boxley contributes a few paragraphs of reminiscences about the Washington of the olden days. He tells of the baseball rivalry that existed among city organized nines. As Boxley was at that time a student of Gallaudet College, and a good catcher of the baseball team, with a whip to second base that put him in the wonder class, no one can be astonished at the subjoined:

"There was a city baseball league known as the District of Columbia League in which the United States Government Bureau of Engraving and Printing was represented. One day, the manager of that government team, who was badly in need of a first class battery, approached me to see if I could accommodate him with the Gallaudet varsity battery, myself being captain and catcher, which I did just for the fun of the thing. So we did beat the 'Columbia' by a score of 8-0, but that game was thrown out on the ground that I was a 'ringer' under a false flag. As a result I almost dropped dead of 'laughing gas'."

Deaf boys are quite clever in athletic games, and were we to print a list of amateur and professional baseball players, the number of the former would be surprisingly large. But among them all Boxley excelled behind the bat and at catching runners off the bases. He had a peculiar motion that looked more like a bluff than an effort, but nevertheless went like a bullet, straight and true to the waiting baseman. We have never seen anyone, outside of professionals, that could duplicate Boxley's quick throw except Herbert Lieberz, who was a pupil at Fanwood. He made what looked like a half-arm throw, but it was speedy and straight.

N. Y. Income Tax Law's Changes

Taxpayers who were struggling to get their State's income tax return filed before midnight, April 15th, need not be confused by the changes in the state income tax law passed by the Legislature and recently signed by Governor Roosevelt, it was pointed out by Mr. Wesley M. Dawson, district director of the Income Tax Bureau, at 220 West 40th Street.

The new law, in brief, makes changes only in the amount of personal exemptions to be allowed and in the provision with regard to the size of gross income which make it necessary to file a return. The exemption for a single person has been increased from \$1,500 to \$2,500, and that for a married person living with husband or wife from \$1,500 to \$4,000.

As the law now stands, every person living in New York State and every person enjoying an income earned in or otherwise coming from the State must file a return, if his net income is \$2,500 or over, if single, or \$4,000 or over if married and living with husband or wife, or if the gross income is \$6,500 or over, regardless of the net income.

For the filing of returns the State provides five different blanks. Salaried people are expected to use the short form, No. 200, while persons whose income is wholly or largely derived from business may use the long form, or No. 210.

The return may be filed either in the district where the taxpayer lives or where his offices is, or it may be mailed to the headquarters at Albany. The final date is April 15th, and returns not in the offices or in the mails before midnight on that day are subject to heavy penalties.

The Capital City

Miss Laura B. Sykes, for the past several years a resident of Washington, died April 8th, at Providence Hospital, of pleura-pneumonia, in her 45th year.

Funeral services were held at the S. H. Hines Co. undertaking parlors on 14th Street, N. W., April 9th at 7 P.M., the Rev. H. L. Tracy and Dr. Charles F. Warner, rector of St. Alban's Parish House, officiating. The remains were taken by boat to Norfolk, Va., for interment beside her mother, who died a few years ago. Miss Sykes is survived by her aged father, three sisters and four brothers.

The sudden death of Miss Sykes was a shock to the deaf communities here.

Division No. 46, N. F. S. D., cancelled their annual Smoker for Saturday evening, April 6th, because the hall of the Northeast Masonic Temple of Saturday evening had been rented out to a hearing society a few days before. But the jolly boys were not disappointed, for they were invited to join their wives, who were at that time entertaining with "500" at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Duvall. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Duvall, the charming hostess.

In the passing of Mrs. Syle, of Philadelphia, the Washington deaf have lost a good and worthy friend.

The Ladies' Guild of St. Barnabas' Mission sponsored novel Tableaux, at the new parish house of St. Mark's Church, on the night of April 10th. A series of plays were given as follows: "Comin' thru' the Rye" was recited by Miss Emma Ward. Merton Galloway thought he was the accepted lover, but John Miller came and claimed her.

"School Days" was played by Mr. Wartman, who acted as a pinster school ma'am with eight oddly dressed pupils. It was a very clever and amusing act.

"Taking Baby's Picture" was one of the funniest plays on the program.

"Family Album," Miss Ward as visitor, and Miss Leitch the hostess, looking over an old album, and good old reminiscences were old of present and long ago.

"Old Maids" were portrayed and played by several women and men. Many humorous remarks were enjoyed.

It was a delightful program, filled with variety. The Parish hall re-echoed the hearty applause, which acclaimed the tableaux by good players. The entire production was under the direction of Miss Ruth Litch. Home-made candy sold like "hot cakes."

Sunday, April 7th, was unusually warm. The Baptist Mission was, as usual, crowded that evening. The Pastor's theme was "Israel's Deliverer," Mark 11:19.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Parker expect to go to North Carolina on some important business.

Several deaf under the direction of the S. B. Alleys motored to Baltimore, Md., Sunday morning, April 7th.

Don't forget to attend the National Literary Society on the night of April 17th, at the Northeast Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Roy J. Stewart returned from New York, where she visited a friend at the Fanwood School during Easter week. She reported having a good visit.

The membership of the Washington Silent Athletic Club is growing. It has twenty members now.

The Wallace Edington home in Kensington, Md., was rented recently. It is in the possession of H. S. Edington according to the court.

Mrs. Burton's husband is still working, although he is not very well. Mrs. Burton has just returned from Virginia, where she had been visiting her sick sister.

Much to the pleasure of his many friends, Mr. Duncan Smoak is up and around again.

Perhaps many readers of the JOURNAL have known that Mr. Thomas S. Marr, our friend from Nashville, Tenn., has donated \$1,000 to Gallaudet College, to establish a scholarship, the income to be used in assisting needy students.

Mrs. C. C. Colby.

Virginia

Now that we have been given \$50,000 for a new primary school building, the superintendent's office is a busy scene these days. Plans for the new building are being drawn; conferences are numerous; the old school Buick is giving extra service; Mr. Sparks, our farmer, is hauling sand to the new site. It will not be many days before the first brick is laid. By time the school re-opens in September, the new fireproof structure, which will represent the best ideas in arrangement and efficiency, will be ready for occupancy.—*Deaf Carolinian.*

CHICAGO

The sun shines—and birds sing—and dogs bark—and crossing cops are cross; but all is serene in the heart of that debonair mite of humanity, the Grand Exalted Head-Mogul of the Nad, and Most Supreme Worshipful Coin-Collector of the Frat! For his wife is back from a protracted sojourn with her mother in Cleveland. So Arthur L. Roberts no longer flagpoles on a stool at Pixley's beaneary.

Mrs. Roberts' debut, following her return, was at the annual banquet of the Chicago Gallaudet College alumni, April 5th. Just twenty-nine plates at \$1 per, in the airy M. E. church—home cooking by deafdom's crack culinary queen, Miss Cora Jacoba, and her corps of biscuit-shooters. The M. E. was chosen because it was the only place in the loop where the banquets could have a three-hour business conference following the feed, at no additional expense. Grub like that would cost from \$1.75 to \$2.50 at any other loop location.

Chief topics of discussion by the Gallaudettes were the E. M. G. fund, and interesting state school superintendents in sending more and better-equipped students to Gallaudet. Rev. Flick, president of the Illinois Association of the Deaf, summed it up when he stated Gallaudet has no capacity for additional pupils, and anyway most superintendents are not interested in our college. Secretary-treasurer Mrs. Meagher was re-elected for the 99th time, the presidency going to young Ladislau Cherry.

"I traveled through forty-one states, and picked the prettiest, nicest, sweetest deaf girl I could find," says Al Love, 23, late of Dallas, but now subbing on the *Herald and Examiner*. He was married March 18th, to Miss Lena R. Hovious, of Louisville. In spare time he is taking a course in monotype keyboard operating.

Former Supt. C. P. Carey, of the Wisconsin State School for the Deaf, received the sad news of the death of his thirty-five-year-old son, Harold, who was killed in an automobile accident Friday, March 29th, in New York City, according to word received here. His parents reside at Madison, Wis., at present. While his father was superintendent of the above-named school in 1900, Harold attended the public school at Delavan and has many deaf friends, who regret to learn of his untimely death. Besides his parents, the deceased leaves a brother and a sister to mourn his loss. The sister is in Europe, as a director of a play.

Jose Tootan, hailing from the Philippines, spoke in an interesting manner of his conversion and of the value of the study of the Bible, at the Methodist Headquarters after the service. Another from a country between Russia and Turkestan dwelt on the joy of knowing Christ and desiring to serve Him. Another, who is a relation of Buffalo Bill, and an other coming from New York, were mentioned as happy Christians. The fifth, Mr. James Pershing, has charge of a mission at Princeton and 28th Street for some years, and related his own conversion in Baltimore, Md. Mrs. C. H. Elmes interpreted their talks in signs to the audience.

At an overflow meeting held at St. James Episcopal Church, a delegation of deaf persons listened to two fine, inspiring addresses—one by the Reverend Dr. Charles W. Gilkey, dean of the University of Chicago Chapel, and the other by Dr. E. Stanley Jones, a rising missionary to India, Monday evening, April 1st, Mrs. Constance H. Elmes interpreting. At the close the deaf, among the other people, had the pleasure of shaking hands with Dr. Jones. Dr. Jones had also addressed the full assembly at the Medinah Temple, two blocks south of the church.

Mrs. Lizzie Warren received word from Texas that her father, aged eighty, died April 1st. The great distance prevented her from attending the funeral.

E. S. Association had a monthly business meeting at the Ephpheta Club house, Sunday, April 7th, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. After that, the members enjoyed a social evening in playing "500" and bunco for prizes.

Miss Lottie Hitchcock, a former pupil of the Texas School for the Deaf, has moved here from Dallas, Texas, with her parents. Her father has secured a job as a union pressman.

The Pas-a-Pas Club held a monthly business meeting at the club room, Saturday evening, April 6th, and then spent an enjoyable evening in social conversation.

Rev. P. Hasenstab, Rev. H. Rutherford and Rev. George Flick have gone out of town this week to resume their missionary tours and fill their appointments.

A "500" and bunco party, given by Chicago Division, No. 106, at the Capitol Building, Saturday evening, April 6th, was well attended.

Jimmie Quinn, the rambunctious maverick of Denver's marvelous 1927 convention committee, breezed into town the first day of spring, stepping high, wide and handsome. Finding the town overstocked with linotype operators, he evidently breezed right out again—headed for little old N'Yawk.

Paul Martin—two decades ago a prominent lightweight pug—is again a proud father. A daughter—Gloria Jane—was born to his wife on March 28th.

Mrs. Matt Treese entertained the Northwest Home Club on the 4th.

The largest crowd that has attended a Pas-a-Pas Club lecture in years, enjoyed Detroit's Asa Stutsman and his masterly signs, March 30th; proceeds going to the Home for Aged Deaf. Hereafter every fifth Saturday in the month this pioneer club will feature something for the benefit of the Home.

Mrs. Gus Hyman is booked to give a talk about the Home, at Rockford, May 18th.

The annual Home bazaar is scheduled for All Angels', May 17th-18th. The "Owls" had a "quota" social at All Angels' on the 3d, fifteen tables of "500" and three of bunco.

The Gus Andersons had a party for the North Dakota deaf on the 7th. The Ingval Dahls had a small and select party on the same date.

Mrs. M. Keeler has been sick for two months, but she is convalescing.

Mrs. Oscar Pearson is in Augusta Hospital, where doctors will examine her to find out what her ailments are.

The members of the Hebrew deaf club enjoyed themselves in playing games for prizes at Brun Hall, Sunday, April 7th.

Mr. R. Henningson, who quit his job as a painting and decorating contractor, entered a big shop as a machinist.

Mrs. H. Odom gives the following news about the doings of the colored deaf:—

Quite a large number of our group attended Easter service at the Methodist Church last (Easter) Sunday, in spite of the inclement weather.

Mr. Marion Ware was on the sick list last week, but we are glad to state that he has fully recovered at this writing.

Rumors have been circulated to the effect that the former members of our club, who migrated to the motor city, Detroit, Mich., where good steady jobs are more available will be in our city next Saturday.

Mr. Robert Shepherd, our Beau Brummel, announced March 16th as his natal day, consequently a birthday party befitting the occasion was given in Mrs. H. Odom's apartments.

Mr. W. R. Thomas sent out a call for a mass meeting of the members of the Old Unity Club, to assemble at his residence on Forrestville Avenue, last week, but since the writer was not present, detailed statements of what transpired remains an unsolved mystery.

Mr. Ulysses G. Kendall has been indisposed for the last few weeks, but at the present writing we are glad to state that he is convalescing and has our sincere hopes for a speedy and ultimate recovery.

Mrs. H. Odom was hostess to a Whist party given in her apartments on the 15th ult., in honor of Miss Mary Davis. Those fortunate enough to receive invitations were:—Mesdames Lottie Milbron, Susie Martin, Minnie Teague and Blanche Williams, Messrs. W. R. Thomas Ulysses G. Kendall, Lee R. Bates and several hearing friends whose names were not secured.

THIRD FLAT.

427 S. Robey St.

Detroit Association of the Deaf

We have twenty new members. Twenty-nine of our members joined the N. F. S. D. at the April meeting. This is the best place to "Get One."

Ralph Beaver, our erstwhile trucker, exchanged his truck for a Ford sedan.

Tony Krieger, our artist, is in great demand these days for making posters for our many socials. Some of his paintings adorn the club room walls.

Wilbur Wells, one of our former presidents, is back from his native State of Illinois, after an absence of two years.

F. McCarthy, our genial confectioner, is wearing the smile that won't come off, and the reason is that he sold over \$600 worth of candy, cigars and soft drinks, during March. This exceeds the previous highest record of \$525 for December, 1928. A year ago, the receipts were \$83.

Charles Huegel conceived the praiseworthy idea of having an Easter social especially for children. A record crowd of about 200 adults turned out, including visitors from Flint and other cities. Marie La Fondress, Marion Webster, Charlotte Huegel, Dorothy Kader and Virginia Beaver, were prize winners. Each received a quite attractive Easter favor and an cream cone after the games. It is planned to make this an annual event.

E. Priester's penny social and Mrs. La Fondress' pin social were both successful financially and in attendance. From all the fun we guess everybody got their penny's and pin's worth.

A reception was held Sunday evening April 7th, in honor of Grand President Gibson, of Chicago. A large crowd turned out, and ice-cream sandwiches were served. Mr. Gibson has been a non-resident member for several years and at this meeting the club elected him an honorary member, after which he made a short speech. He referred to the time when he was the young president of the Pas-a-Pas Club, and likened his experiences to the present ones of our popular young president, Dominic Difazio, who is only twenty-three. May he live to be another Gibson.

Mrs. BEN BEAVER.

OHIO

News items for this column can be sent to B. M. Edgar, 56 Latta Avenue, Columbus, Ohio.

The girls of the school's basketball team now look back to March 29th, as another red-letter day for them, for on that date they celebrated the close of their most successful season with a banquet. Dr. and Mrs. Jones and Mr. Abernathy were guests of the girls. The team lost only two games through the season.

At the close of the feast, Coach Holdren acted as toastmaster, and after a few speeches he was called upon to accept a gold coin from the S. S. C. girls, as an appreciation of his work for the team. Mr. Holdren was so surprised that he knew not what to say, but finally his hands came to his help and he thanked the girls. After a few games the party broke up, and all left feeling very happy.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Chapman had the pleasure of entertaining the former's brother and his wife a few days last week. The brother was on his way north from Florida, where he and his family had spent the winter. Over Sunday the Chapmans had a nephew and his wife at their home in Westerville. The nephew had been in Columbus attending a teacher's conference. He teaches at Bay City, Ohio.

While superintendent of the Ohio Home, Mr. Chapman always had a fine garden, and now at his own home he has a large one started.

Miss Hannaford, treasurer of the Toledo Ladies' Aid Society, reports that the proceeds from the lecture given March 23d, by Prof. William H. Zorn, netted the society \$37.30.

Miss Altha Charlton is president of the Toledo Society and Miss Helen Gomoll is secretary.

The societies of Akron have allied themselves together to give a grand carnival at Goodyear Hall, April 27th. The proceeds from this will be used to help pay legislative expense. R. R. Shannon is chairman and has for his assistants: H. G. Newman, H. S. Dobson, T. W. Osborne, W. McConnell, G. A. Murphy, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Peard, Mrs. Burt, Mr. and Mrs. Frater, Mr. Roller and Mrs. R. Dann. There will be games, contests with prizes, and a supper will be served. We predict it will be largely attended.

Mr. Richard Diamond visited his Alma Mater last week, on his way to Cleveland from Miami, Fla. During the winter he works at the Baltimore Hotel in the culinary department, and in May will go to Toronto, Canada, to work for the same hotel company at \$85.00 a month and board and room. He is looked upon as a "lucky kid" surely, with Florida in winter and Canada in summer.

MUTE TELLS STORY ON FINGERS TO WIN SUIT

Howard Dorian, of Canton, is a deaf-mute, but he talked so convincingly with his nimble fingers before a jury in Judge A. W. Agler's room Wednesday that a verdict for \$1,116.75 was returned in his favor in a suit against Richard R. Davison.

Dorian was injured in an automobile collision, at Clarendon Avenue and 9th Street, S. W. He was on 9th Street, which is marked as a main thoroughfare, but Judge Agler charged the jury that the presence of "stop" signs does not relieve either party with care at an intersection.

An interpreter, read Dorian's flying fingers, as he told his story and repeated his testimony to the jury.

Howard Dorian is a son of Lay-Reader F. Dorian, and the interpreter, Mr. A. Monnin, is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Monnin, of Canton, Ohio.

Mrs. George Clum is now able to sit up and move about in her room, and her daughter, Juliana, is thus enabled to re-enter the Ohio State University again.

The Columbus Ladies' Aid Society delightfully entertained the active and associate members April 6th, with a spring party in the art studio at the school.

The committee on games presented some new and interesting ones and made fun for all. The games seemed to be on a higher plan than in former years.

A nice lunch of sandwiches, olives, celery, baked corn, ice-cream, cake and coffee was served to fifty-seven persons. The lunch committee so managed that they could be present to enjoy the social part and the games.

After the lunch, Miss Lamson signed "The Seven Ages of Man," with each age acted out by members dressed to carry out the ideas clearly. Babyhood was represented by Mr. and Mrs. Crossen's lovely baby, who seemed unconcerned at the applause given.

Out-of-town associate members present were Mrs. Sprague, of Reynoldsburg, Mrs. Chapman, of Westerville, and Mrs. Ruth, of Zanesville. Eight associates living in the city attended as did also Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Utry, of the Home.

We learned through Mrs. Ruth that Mrs. Laverna C. Humphrey's aged mother, of Zanesville, is quite feeble now.

To prove that it doesn't take much to make a dress these days, Miss Hubbard's (the school's housekeeper) mother made and packed for her a dress in a match box, five by two and one half inches in size. So small was the package, that Miss Hubbard could

scarcely believe her eyes when she saw a whole dress unfolded.

To prove to his brother members of the Columbus Chapter of the Gallaudet Kappa Gamma Fraternity, that his wife and daughter were excellent cooks, Mr. Zorn invited them to partake of a dinner at his home, March 28th. The dinner was so satisfying to the inner man that all agreed with Mr. Zorn that there were No. 1 cooks at his home. In the center of the ice-cream, done in buff, was the form of a chicken, and the Greek initials of the fraternity also ran through the cream.

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SEATTLE

Easter Sunday afternoon found fifty-four deaf people at the Lutheran Church of Our Redeemer, listening to a wonderful and inspiring sermon by our pastor, Rev. G. W. Gaertner. Mrs. Emily Eaton's present of Easter lilies added to the beauty of the other lilies donated by the Ladies' Aid of the church. The cut daffodils from Mrs. John Adams' yard were much appreciated. Those who came to the platform to respond and to sing were Mrs. Pauline Gustin, Mrs. W. E. Brown, Mrs. Claire Reeves, Mrs. Emily Eaton and C. K. McConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frederickson and Mrs. May Wojska, of Everett, attended the Easter services and took supper with the Garrison family before returning home.

On account of the sickness of Mrs. George Axt's mother, she and her husband were unable to come to the church on Easter. The same with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin, who hurried over to see the former's mother, ill in bed.

Miss Esther Bloomquist remained at home with a severe cold on Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Root gave a card party March 23d, and every one of the fifteen present remarked having a dandy time. Mrs. Root served a fine lunch, assisted by Mrs. Lawrence Belser. The box of delicious assorted chocolates presented by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bertram was enjoyed by all.

And the next Saturday, March 30th, the entertainment committee of the W. S. A. D. and their ladies met at the Partridge's home on 20th Avenue, just outside the city limits. After the men finished their work, two tables of bridge were played. Jack Bertram and his partner, A. H. Koberstein, won the highest score, it being over 1500 points Mrs. Partridge served an appetizing lunch in her dinette. The guests thought the Partridges' new home was very much up to date.

There was no social on Thursday before Good Friday. The previous Thursday night, W. S. Root, the manager, gave W. E. Brown a dictionary for highest score and Sam Schneider a package of chocolates for booby. There were twenty people, which shows that the Thursdays socials are popular all right.

Mrs. Alice Reeves Showalter, who was married recently, received several nice and useful gifts the other day at a luncheon tendered by her mother, Mrs. Claire Reeves. Those present were Mrs. G. W. Gaertner, and deaf friends of the hostess.

A. H. Koberstein returned home from his California visit last month. He declared that the next time he goes there, he will stay in the sunny state for good. We are wondering if there is a comely dame who is the cause of his resolution. Mr. Koberstein said the deaf in Fresno, Cal., are taking care of Mrs. Bella Smith in turns until they can put her in some home for elderly people. There is some talk that the W. S. A. D. should have a welfare fund to help the elderly people of the present generation, like many of the benevolent associations.

Mr. Koberstein, while in California, visited his daughter in San Jose, took dinner twice at Mrs. Meyers', went to a Baptist church, where services were interpreted for the deaf, met accidentally Mr. Ribley, a one time Seattle resident, and saw Leonard Rasmussen in San Francisco. He spent several days in Corvallis, Oregon, with his father and mother.

Mrs. Victoria Smith was in town over Easter.

Mrs. John Brinkman is home from the hospital, with her husband in Botell.

Mrs. Claude Ziegler and son, Herbert, have moved to an apartment. Yvonne, her daughter, is in a home for little children. Claude, who works at the Snoqualmie mill, comes home on week-ends.

The beach home that Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Garrison occupied since last fall, was sold, so they and their children moved to Fontanac Avenue, in West Seattle a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Reeves were much pleased with a visit from Ed Bergh, of Spokane, a brakeman on the G. N., two weeks ago. He is a good sign maker, having a deaf mother in Spokane.

Mrs. Bert Haire is taking care of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin's little boy while the father and mother go out to work. They come for him week-ends.

Jack Bertram, after several years with the Daken Advertising Company, where he did all the engraving work from start to finish, quit that post and secured a place with the Western Engraving Company, a much larger concern.

Roy Harris and Alfred Waugh, two of our most enthusiastic anglers, were out on the opening day of the trout season on April 1st, and did not get fooled, as they filled their creels with about fifty trout between them.

The parents of N. C. Garrison celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last Sunday at their home on Camano Island, sixty miles north of Seattle. About seventy-five people of the Garrison clan filled the house during the afternoon, offering congratulations and well wishes and presenting about \$50 in gold. Golden ice cream and golden cake and coffee were served. Plenty of golden cut flowers and pots adorned the big dining and living rooms. Carl's people are all so prosperous, being big business men and big farmers. One of his uncles owns one thousand acres of rich Skagit Valley land, where oats grow 150 to 200 bushels to the acre.

The Wrights were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Garrison for the day. On the return trip to Seattle at night, the party had the novel experience of running through an April snow storm out of Everett, that covered a portion of the highway with three of four inches of snow, but on entering the city limits of Seattle, they found the pavement bone dry.

Through the efforts of Rev. G. W. Gaertner, C. K. McConnell is taking a magazine for the blind. We have four other deaf friends similarly afflicted, who should follow Mr. McConnell's example.

PUGET SOUND

April 9th, 1929.

ST. LOUIS

The Bishop of Missouri, the Rt. Rev. Frederick F. Johnson, D.D., recently confirmed a class of six presented by the Rev. A. Steidemmann on Palm Sunday at Christ Church Cathedral. A large congregation was present to witness the ceremony and the sermon of the day, also given by the Bishop, interpreted by Miss Herdman. Those confirmed were Mesdames Edw. Alt, Harold McDaniel, Misses Caroline Petton, Bernice Rodekoph, Leola Palmer and Mr. Edw. Keniston.

The stork has been very busy in this direction, as a son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fry on March 15th; a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stocklack on February 23d; and also a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith on March 26th. All babies and mothers are doing nicely.

Mr. Raymond Burmeister recently put up a record in going from Kansas City to the suburbs of St. Louis in five and a half hours. He drove a new Chevrolet, with four passengers, two falling in the stylish stout class. The Chev., at last accounts, is still running and fully recovered.

A stork shower was tendered Mrs. Reimann on March 15th, the affair being attended by some twenty-five friends. It was in the nature of a surprise, being arranged by Mrs. Phillip Schulte. A good time was had by all attending and many articles for the future newcomer was given by the invited guests.

Mrs. Hurley Bransettler was operated upon for appendicitis, at the St. Louis Baptist Hospital, on the 8th. She at present is resting nicely and hopes for a complete recovery in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Moegle entertained the 500 club at their home on April 6th. They have recently purchased a new Chevrolet sedan and no longer swear by their old Ford.

Mrs. Steidemmann had the Miller, Eckerich and Bransettler families at her home for the afternoon and evening of April 3d.

The parents of the Miller boys are both seriously ill, due to a complication of diseases, made worse by old age, and are not expected to live long. Mr. Miller, of Chicago, came down to see his parents for a few days recently.

Mrs. Elizabeth Barth recently had seven old friends for luncheon at her home. Those present were Mesdames Arnot, Cheney, Cloud, Udall, Harden, Tom, and Steidemmann. The table was nicely decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Udall in cleaning house, the great annual occupation of housewives, fell off a step-ladder and

DETROIT

News items intended for this column should be sent to Mrs. Lucy E. May, 2534 Iowa St., Detroit, Mich. Such news items from Detroiters and vicinity as well as from the deaf of Michigan will be most welcome and have prompt attention.

A rally was staged at the Hotel Astor, Sunday afternoon, under the auspices of National Fraternal Society for the Deaf, Detroit Division, No. 2. Mr. Ivan Heymansson was in charge of the event. President Charles E. Drake gave an eulogizing introduction to Grand President F. P. Gibson, who spoke on "Things of Interest to the Deaf Today," and added his observations at the National Research Council held in Washington, D. C., last February. About 500 were in attendance. Needless to say, Grand President Gibson never fails to give something worth while, when he is on the platform. The rally was adjourned to reassemble at the D. A. D. Club rooms or the reception in the evening.

Mr. Wilbur Wells, of Chicago, Ill., is back with us. Miss Mildred Stoddard, of Fenton, Mich., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pastori.

Mr. Merton McMurray, of London, Canada, stopped in this city, to visit around.

Miss Livonia Grattan, is sojourning in St. Petersburg, Fla., with her sister and family all winter. She enjoys herself there very much. On April 18th, she will leave there for Baltimore, Md., for a few days. Then they will stop in Washington, D. C., and expect to meet President Hoover. On their way they will stop in Pittsburgh, Pa., and they then will return to Detroit about May and start gardening and house cleaning.

A Flea social was held at the Fraternal Club of the Deaf on Sunday. Mrs. Aloysius Japes and Mr. Liddy were the prize winners.

Mrs. Edward Thompson, of Ruby, Mich., spent a few weeks with Mrs. Harry Brown. She visited some of her friends, Mr. McKenzie and family and Mrs. Mahl.

A surprise birthday party was given at the Fraternal Club of the Deaf, in honor of Mr. Ivan Heymansson, on Friday evening, April 12th.

About seventy-five people were there. He got many useful gifts. All of his friends told about his wonderful work among the deaf since he moved here from Chicago.

There were eleven visitors at the Goodwill Club of the Deaf. They were William Taylor, Randall Hullens, Merritt Hutchinson, Percy Miller, Irving McAlton, James Austin and his wife, Louis Day and his wife, and others.

The new members are Allie Tunsell, Billie Taylor, Willie People, Maude Rogers and Clarence Kinson. Mr. Aaron Rivers has bought some new furniture and other things. His sister, Mary Rivers, and their brother, Joseph Rivers, will live together. Aaron is a bachelor and they expect their mother, of Carlisle, Miss., to come and live with them. Aaron has been the treasurer of the club for the past three years.

President Hunt's wife is staying with her friend in Chicago and expects to come back by May.

Mrs. Ophelia Alexander has recovered from her two weeks' illness. She was chosen as social manager. She got all kinds of candies, cigarettes, twenty cases of soft drinks and cigars, and folding chairs, gas stove and electric light bulbs.

They will have a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Billie Taylor on 20th of April, managed by her children, William and his wife.

Robert Johnson got badly hurt on his knee.

Robert Sullivan got a Dodge-Victory Six sedan, and it is red and looks beautiful.

James Austin has a Chevrolet sedan of blue.

Jerry Davenport got a Ford roadster.

Seven members have cars. They work at the Briggs auto body factory.

William Alexander has a cousin named Rev. J. S. Williams. Alexander is the president of the Live Wire Class of the Deaf, which meets every Sunday at 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.

There will be a "500" and bunco party on the 27th, at the Goodwill Club of the Deaf, at 978 Rowena Street.

Mr. Fred Allera, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Allera, was laid up in the hospital and had a major operation. He is recovering nicely now. He is a patrolman.

Mr. Albert Goff and his family and Mrs. Anne Mahl took a motor trip to Attic, Mich., spent all day, on April 7th, on Mr. and Mrs. Burke's farm. They enjoyed the visit very much. Mr. and Mrs. Gabbison and children, of Pontiac, were there.

Mr. Robert V. Jones will have an operation some time after April 13th. We all hope he will be able to be around with us soon.

Mrs. Elizabeth Smyth's eldest son came back to stay with his mother. He has cinched work here. He has been in New York City, but said that the city is too big and noisy.

Mrs. C. Rudinger gave a baby shower for Mrs. Hazel Taylor, at Mrs. Rudington's residence, on March 31st.

Remember the date, April 20th, movie social, "Court Martial" and comedy "Naughty Nurse," at the

Detroit Fraternal Club of the Deaf. Everybody is welcome.

A card party will be held on the afternoon of April 21st at Holy Redeemer Auditorium, Junction and Vernon Highway West. Moving pictures will be given in the evening and delicious lunch will be served. Admission will be thirty-five cents. Everybody is welcome. This social is given by the Detroit Association of Catholic Deaf.

The big annual picnic will be held at Centerline on July 14th.

Miss Emma Rutherford, daughter of Mrs. John Rutherford, was knocked down by an automobile last Sunday evening, but was not badly hurt, just a little bruised. She is doing nicely now.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Huhn spent two days in Jackson with Mr. Huhn's sister for Easter.

Mr. Clyde Barnett was in Jackson for a visit. Mrs. Lucy May.

PHILADELPHIA

The passing of Mrs. M. J. Syle, on April 2d, continues to be a topic of interest among the deaf hereabouts, especially among those who knew her more intimately. She occupied a singular position in the hearts of the deaf, as did Mr. Syle, and therefore both will be recalled from time to time.

It was pleasing and surprising to note at the funeral so many deaf whom it was not supposed the news of Mrs. Syle's death could reach so soon. Some came from long distances to pay their last respects to her. Mrs. Syle was in her sphere of life really a prominent person and worthy of the respect shown her by all. The same was true of Mr. Syle, but in a larger degree.

Mr. Syle opened the door to the deaf ministry, and Mrs. Syle made a long, useful and honorable record as the first deaf parish visitor in Philadelphia. Thus both fitly deserved the laurels that have been bestowed upon them.

St. Ann's was Gallaudet's work and All Souls' Syle's. Both churches are memorials of their respective founders.

The writer believes that it was largely due to the militant spirit of both Mr. and Mrs. Syle that enabled them to do so much good for the deaf. The former blazed the way for the deaf ministry, and the latter labored continuously for the good of the church. In private life, both were docile, kind, sympathetic, sociable, helpful and generous, the kind of friends we value so highly.

Mrs. Mary L. Haight, of New York, attended Mrs. Syle's funeral, accompanied by Mrs. Ward; others who attended the funeral were Mrs. Elizabeth E. Rigg, of Elizabeth, N. J.; Mr. Butts, of Wilmington, Del.; a number from Camden and other points in New Jersey; also a number from places outside of Philadelphia in this State.

A stage entertainment will be given by young people of St. Philip's (Lutheran) Church for the Deaf at the North Philadelphia Young Men's Christian Association building on Lehigh Avenue, west of Germantown Avenue, on this coming Saturday evening, April 20th, at 8 o'clock. Admission will be twenty-five cents. All are welcome.

Report says the Gallaudet Club held a business meeting at the home of Secretary Stevens in Merchantville, N. J., on Saturday evening, April 13th.

Beth Israel Association for the Deaf, according to report, held a dancing contest on Sunday afternoon, 14th. We would rather wish that the report was wrong, but if other sports are permitted on the Sabbath in public places, dancing is just as legitimate.

Mrs. Sarah A. Fogg, the oldest inmate of the Pennsylvania Home for Blind Aged and Infirm Deaf, died last week. She was over ninety years old. Recently, she fell down the main stairway for the second time and was so badly injured that her death resulted. Mrs. Fogg came to the Home from Philadelphia. Her remains were taken to New Jersey for burial by a niece.

An effort is being made by All Souls' people to raise and invest a fund large enough to yield sufficient income to buy the church's yearly supply of coal. The church already has a similar Flower Fund, which was Mrs. Syle's idea.

Holy Communion will be celebrated by All Souls' Church next Sunday April 21st. A supper will be served for fifty cents for all who desire to remain at the Parish House for the evening moving picture show. The price of the supper will include admission to the show.

Mr. William E. Grime has been traveling a good bit of late. Just before the holidays he made a trip to Florida and spent about two months there. He has returned lately, and speaks in glowing terms of his southern sojourn.

Mrs. Emma J. Dantzer, widow of Rev. C. O. Dantzer, is still with her folks in Evansville, Ind. She is expected to return to Philadelphia in the latter part of May or early in June.

The Trenton (N. J.) Evening Times, on April 5th, felicitated Prof. John P. Walker on his seventy-eighth birthday anniversary and presented a splendid cut of the retired teacher of the deaf. The JOURNAL writer also sent him a personal greeting card in remembrance of the anniversary, as he was his first teacher at the Pennsylvania school.

OMAHA

Omaha Division, No. 32, N. F. S. D. announces a Mardi Gras Ball at the Lyric Building, 19th and Farnam Streets, on Saturday night, April 27th. This is not "just another party," but something to look forward to. Come on and help "make whoopee."

The Omaha members of the Midwest Chapter gave an entertainment at the N. S. D., on Saturday evening, March 30th. The proceeds of twenty-two dollars. Will be added to Nebraska's previous contributions to the E. M. Gallaudet fund. The much advertised speech of Will Rogers was made by the clever impersonator, Eugene Fry, and interpreted for the deaf "optience" by Owen Study. The speaker showed an amazing familiarity with the idiosyncrasies of the deaf of Omaha and vicinity, and Mr. Study made a very witty and capable interpreter. The next number, "Hot Mamma," was a clever hoax by George Revers, with the aid of a folding screen and a pair of ladies' shoes.

The anti-climax came when the screen tipped over. In the "Photo Gallery," Robert Mullin was the country photographer, Riley Anthony made a good Scotch farmer and Victor Beran, a convincing materfamilias. This was very amusing. Owen Study recited "Casey at the Bat," in baseball uniform. This is a rather long and difficult poem, but proved easy for the versatile Mr. Study, with his mastery of signs. Miss Ruth Neujahr followed with a lively and entertaining dance, in costume, called "Old Dutch Cleanser." Eugene Fry, in "Five lives in One," gave clever impersonations of a sheik, his sweetheart, her mother, a waiter and a cop. They were all looking for trouble in a restaurant and they found it. In the "Powder Puff Follies" dance, Messrs. Mullin, Revers, Rosenblatt and Beran were dressed as ballet dancers and gave a dance that was mirth provoking in the extreme. A kiss-auction was announced, and Misses Della Page and Katharine Slocum were called to the platform, much to their dismay. Oscar M. Treuke acted as the auctioneer. Nick Petersen and Albert Johnson were the highest bidders and each received a baker's confection, called a kiss. The price paid, sixty-five cents in each case, was rather high for that kind of a kiss. The committee in charge of the entertainment consisted of Eugene Fry, Mrs. Ota C. Blankenship, and Leo Holway, assisted by Owen Study.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Morrow are the proud possessors of a new Ford coupe, and Eugene McConnell has traded his old Whippet sedan for a dandy new Dodge coupe. All the lassies are waiting for a joy ride, one at a time—or will you pile 'em in, Gene?

Mr. and Mrs. Hester have moved from the Iowa school to the city, where they are keeping house. Who's next?

John J. Thompson, of Corning, Ia., and Brick M. Moore, of Botna, are the latest members to join Council Bluffs Division, No. 103, having transferred from Chicago Division. The Council Bluffs Division has been growing steadily. Starting in 1925 with fourteen charter members, they now have thirty-six.

Hubert Boyd was married to Miss Gertrude Money at Fort Dodge, Ia., in March. They are now living in Sidney, Ia.

Nick Petersen has signed a contract to play baseball with the Omaha Printing Co., as pitcher and general utility man. He won his first game Sunday, April 7th, by defeating the Northwestern team.

The Midwest Chapter met at Hotel Chieftain in Council Bluffs, on Saturday evening, April 6th. A committee was appointed to draw up a resolution of respect to Frank C. Holloway.

Mrs. James R. Jelinek and Ziba L. Osmun were admitted to the chapter. The status of members was discussed and also the status of the chapter in the national organization.

A banquet will be held in May, and a picnic in June. Mrs. O. M. Treuke and Dr. Schuyler Long were the winners at Bridge.

Miss Della Page, of Omaha, is working for Mrs. O. W. McIntire at the I. S. D. She is one of the popular beauties in the younger set.

Ziba L. Osmun motored to his old home, Stromsburg, Neb., the latter part of March, on a business trip. The Osmuns are living in a cosy apartment within a stone's throw from his tire repair shop and the ambitious "Zeb" is now selling ice as a sideline.

Rev. Homer E. Grace was in town on March 17th, holding services in Trinity Cathedral in the afternoon. The Guild has elected Mrs. E. M. Hazel, President; Mrs. Ota Blankenship, Vice-president; and Mrs. Osmun, Treasurer.

The following program was given at the Fontenelle Literary Society on March 16th.

Children of Charles I. of England, Mrs. O. M. Treuke; Current Events, Francis S. Dulaney; Believe it or not, Robert E. Dobson; Jokes, Mrs. Emma Seely; Recitation, "The Ancient Mariner," Mrs. E. M. Hazel.

Dr. J. Schuyler Long gave an interesting account of the recent meeting of the National Research Council. This was sponsored by the Philomathean Literary Society at the N. S. D. A large crowd of outsiders attended.

Attention! The Nebraska school is to get \$65,000 to decorate and equip the auditorium, also to construct a new manual training building and landscape the grounds. Congratulations to all concerned. Mr. Leo R. Holway wishes it to be known that he spoke in no uncertain terms to Mr. Baldridge, one of the committee men, about the condition of the auditorium which one would expect to find in Pittsburg rather than in Omaha. The I. S. D. also gets a large appropriation of some \$700,000 for two years, which will provide for a primary hall to be built this year and later a new school building and gymnasium.

Mr. Ross Hall, of Omaha, a friend and champion of the deaf, died suddenly of heart failure on April 4th. He was a cousin of Mrs. E. M. Hazel and his only son is also deaf.

Edmund Berney and Emmett Osterlink motored to Grand Island, Neb., Saturday, April 13th, to visit the former's relatives.

HAL AND MEL.

FANWOOD

In addition to the fireproof stairways now being built to replace the old wooden ones, mentioned in a recent issue, workmen are putting up a new corridor bridge directly beneath the present one between the Main Hospital and the former Cottage Hospital Buildings. Plumbers, laborers and cleaners, are renovating the smaller building in preparation for the transfer of the boys of the Kindergarten Department, who now occupy the third floor dormitory of the Main Building. The new domicile of the children will be known as the Children's Annex. The change will be a great improvement, as the building is ideal for the purpose. Three dormitory floors will be used. Lavatories, fire escapes, fire alarm system, private rooms for the tutors, etc., are on each floor.

April 6th, three girls from the school, the Misses Helen Kahlert, Anna St. George and Katherine Duhig, went to visit the Woolworth Building, and rode in the elevator to the top floor, from where they had a breath-taking view of the city. Later, they went to the City Hall, where they shook hands and talked with our Mayor, Jimmy Walker. They had a good time, and were proud to have met such a famous person.

After the deluge on the afternoon of April 4th, the boy and girl pupils of the Hebrew Friday evening classes, had a gala night in the form of a Purim party, tendered to them by the Hebrew Association of the Deaf, in the Washington Heights Synagogue. Various games were indulged in, where six prizes were presented.

A surprise was revealed by Milton Koplowitz and Leo Auerbach, giving out neat little orations of the high esteem held by all for their teachers. Mr. Max Lubin and Mrs. A. A. Cohen—in presenting the first an amber cigar holder, and a Waterman set, consisting a fountain pen and pencil, to the latter.

Mrs. Henry Plapinger spoke of the valuable advantages offered to all on leaving school, and the contemplation of membership in the H. A. D. in coming years, and of the tense interest which it harbors in the welfare of the Friday evening classes. A vote of thanks was tendered to her for her cheery talk.

At the stroke of eleven, the "Star Spangled Banner" was rendered by the band, and with happy, smiling faces they marched back, probably to dream of another similar party next year.

Monday morning, Captain Nicholas Giordano received a letter from Charles H. Klein, a former graduate of this school. He is at present residing at 143 South Pineapple Avenue, Sarasota, Florida. Last week, he went to a camp at Arcadia, Fla., where he had an enjoyable time. He also visited Tampa and Davis Island. He sent a picture of himself in the letter. He has a fine coat of tan, and his health is greatly improved. He will remain in Sarasota for another year. He sends his best regards to all who know him.

Charles W. Boynton, Major Van Tassel's ten-year old nephew, visited in the Institution while spending part of his Easter vacation in the city. He has attained a good degree of success as head salesman over ten boys in New Jersey, where he directs the selling of magazines by these boys in East Orange, N. J.

Mrs. Roy Stewart, a friend of Miss H. Hall, the girls' sewing instructor, was a visitor last week. She stayed with Miss Hall several days. No doubt she had an enjoyable time here.

New apprentices came to the printing office this week. They are A. Capocci, A. Verdicchio, L. Pacifico, E. Hart, W. Shafran, L. Balkowski, P. Bodler, L. McKeown, Nuch, F. Pusefski, W. Wilson, L. Auberbach, G. Crichton, T. Kolenda, J. Kowalezek, and W. Reily. They are eager to learn all they can.

Was there ever a man who willingly admitted having shown poor judgement?

Gallaudet College

JOHN JAMESON CHICKERING

Gallaudet College of the 80's will recall "Jack Chickering, who, during that period was instructor of gymnastics following the opening in 1882 of the present "gym" building. He was the only son of Professor John White Chickering of the College, graduating from Amherst in 1879. Old Gallaudet men will regret to learn that he passed away Sunday, April 14th, at Pinehurst, N. C., where, with his family, he had for several years passed the Easter season. Pneumonia was the cause of death, after an illness of only one week. He was 70 years of age. Football enthusiasts of the 80's will have a lively recollection of the assistance rendered by the deceased and Phil Angell in the winning records of those days. Also they will be interested to know that a month or two ago a largely-attended dinner was held in Washington to mark the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Columbia Bicycle Club, of which Mr. Chickering and a number of students and professors of the college were members. Their high wheels were one of the most familiar sights of the asphalt circle surrounding the college campus. Besides his widow, Mr. Chickering leaves a son, Jack, Jr., twenty-two years of age, a junior in Princeton University.

Good news—The baseball team is showing more mettle than the most optimistic had expected at the start of the season. The latest victory is that over the United Typewriters' Uniteds, a club that got the better of us in a practice game before the season began. This time the score board read 11-7 in our favor. The game was even all the way up to the ninth inning, with Hokanson pitching superbly, and Cosgrove, Dyer and other infield men doing some really brilliant work, both at the bat and on the field.

In the very first inning, Cosgrove sent a triple to deep center field with the bases full, scoring three men. Cosgrove, Zieske and Drapiewski made doubles before the ninth, at which time the score stood 7-6, giving us a slight margin. Then things began to happen.

Wurdemann walked, Bradley doubled, bringing Wurdemann home, Katz singled, Zieske got to first on a fielder's choice, sending Katz to the bench and Bradley home, Zieske stole to second, Lau singled, bringing Zieske to third, Lau stole to second, Dyer singled, bringing both Zieske and Lau home, and then stole to third as Hokanson was struck out. Cosgrove fled to center field and Drapiewski was put out on first, leaving Dyer on third, a total of four runs. The Uniteds managed to put one run across in the ninth, but a double play from Dyer to Cosgrove throttled their rally.

Score by innings:—
Gallaudet 3 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 4—11
Typewriters 2 3 0 1 0 0 0 0 1—7

There seems to be little of the winter interest in indoor sports now that spring has come to stay. However, the Literary Society did stage another program last Friday night, which was put in the hands of the Seniors. David Peikoff spoke entertainingly of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, Thomas Peterson rendered "The Face on the Barroom Floor," and then the whole Senior class joined in a portrayal of "Judgment Day," on the stage. Ridings, attired as St. Peter, judged each member of the class as he came forward, penetrating into the innermost recesses of the hearts of each one for buried secrets and unconfessed faults. It is with regret that we report his judgment to be that not more than three of the class are in condition to play the golden harps.

Everything is centered upon camp. Even the Sunday School collection this morning was meager, as every penny in our pockets has been glued to our wallets, to be released only at Great Falls or at the girls' camp on the Chesapeake. The halls of basement of College Hall are once more cluttered with all the odds and ends of camping paraphernalia, from bales of straw to lamp wicks—a sight dear to the heart of every student, who has been to Great Falls. It is with the utmost pleasure that we announce that this year the campers on the top of the hill near the station at Great Falls, will not be obliged to carry all their water uphill, and will thus be spared the experiences of Jack and Jill. The company has agreed to run a pipe to the hill-top, that will furnish running water at any time. Those who wonder what the result of the baseball game with Catholic University was, will be disappointed to hear that the game was postponed on account of rain.

The rest of this letter is likewise postponed, but on account of lack of news. Blame the sun-spots, not the correspondent!

DAVID MUDGETT

Whenever you tell someone to remind you of something you're sure to remember it yourself.

NEW YORK

BROOKLYN GUILD

The Brooklyn Guild of Silent Workers is like a violet hidden in the city of churches, where little is known about its doings, so a slight mention should be made. Its aim is to help "needy deaf-mutes of Brooklyn, and to cheer all.

Mention should have been made that a beautiful spray of lilies was sent Prof. W. G. Jones at his funeral.

The next big affair will take place on April 27th, at Messiah Church, 80 Greene Avenue, Brooklyn at 8 p.m. It will be "Ye Own Birthday Party," featuring Aunt Jerusha's Album. Admission one cent each year of your age, or fifty cents, including refreshments.

Another big coming event will be a bus ride to Bayville (Oyster Bay) L. I., on July 21st (if rain, postpone to July 28th). Bus leave Hanson Place, near Atlantic Avenue L. I. R. R. Station at 8 a.m. Fare \$2.00 a seat. Those who enjoyed the delightful outing to Lake Ronkonkoma last summer are eager to follow the crowd again, so it may be necessary to engage two forty-eight passenger cars. Those who wish to go should inform Mrs. E. Schnackenberg, 2018 Voorhees Avenue, Sheepshead Bay, so that a seat will be reserved for them.

FIFTEENTH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

The fleeting years have left little or no sign of "depreciation" on those perennial lovers—Sam and Helen Greenberg of Brooklyn. They have just happily passed the fifteenth milestone of marital bliss and look forward to the seventy-fifth!

To signalize this special event, a surprise dinner was tendered them by their legion of friends at Keen's English Chop House, West 36th Street, on Saturday evening, April 6th, ably engineered by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sturtz and Mr. Abraham Barr.

The follow appetizing menu was served:—

Olives	Fruit Cocktail	Celery
	Almonds	
Bouillon a La Helen		
Philadelphia Roast Capon		
Green peas	"Murphys"	
Lettuce—French Dressing		
Ice-Cream		Cakes
	Demi-tasse	

Mr. Joe Sturtz, acting as master of ceremonies, introduced his clever half, Anna, who, with a neat speech, presented the couple with a chest of 81 pieces of silver, (in addition to 51—count 'em! which they previously received) a joint gift from their admiring friends. The bewildered Helen, somehow or other, managed to convey graceful thanks for herself and her (then absent) Sam, with the added admonition that we "should not do it again."

The rest of the evening was enlivened by dancing and games galore, including cookies and Volestead punch to slake the thirsty ones. Thus endeth a joyous affair.

James Quinn made his appearance at the entertainment of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, last Saturday evening. He arrived in New York from Denver, Col., a few days before. He does not know how long he will linger in the East, saying it all depends on what will turn up. He is a good printer, but has done some farming.

The stork visited Mrs. Jennie Peterson (*nee Tanajewska*), in the Methodist Episcopal Hospital, on April 10th, Wednesday morning, at 5:55. It is a *whoopie* boy, weighs eight pounds 13½ ounces. His name is Richard Peterson.

All previous attendances at the Deaf-Mutes' Union League rooms were shattered last Saturday, April 13th, when the "Little Coney Island" party was held. All the rooms were crowded. There were games for prizes in the billiard room, refreshments in the recreation room, and the large hall was devoted to dancing. The next affair of the League will be held at Turn Hall, where a thousand or more can be accommodated in comfort.

Joe Borowick, after a stay of five months in Chicago, returned to New York on Tuesday, April 9th. This time he hiked it all the way back. No, he was not broke. He wanted to see the places all the way back. It took him fully one week. Not a record. Old pedestrian Weston can beat that, but he says the main thing was seeing "America First," and he declares that he saw more this time than he ever did before.

John N. Funk was obliged to remain at home last week on account of a sore throat. It is his tonsils, but he says his doctor does not advise having them cut, at least at the present time.

Simon Kahn was operated on Wednesday, April 10th, for rupture, at the Murray Hill Hospital.

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FLORIDA FLASHES

According to the International Typographical Journal, among those who have been initiated into the order of the knighthood of the lino-type keyboard is Louis Egle, of Sebring. He is, and has been for sometime, connected with the *American*.

The siege of unemployment in Florida has not been lifted yet, and the deaf who contemplate seeking work in the Sunshine State are behooved to stay away until business conditions begin to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mills, of Dover, limbered up themselves long enough from the farm routine to call on Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Whitely at Tampa Shores, and they together motored to St. Petersburg to see the sights. The former couple returned home early this month, ready to resume duties on the farm.

C. J. Schmidt believes in making hay while the sun shines, so he took French leave of Grant, near Melbourne, to work for Arthur Holloway, in Orlando, as painter in an auto painting shop.

Max Kestner, who is one of the Daytona Beach *Journal-News* force, has discarded his flivver for a brand new six-cylinder Whippet car. He is a great enthusiast in this newly-acquired mode of travel.

Mrs. Fred Parker, (*nee Helen Atkins*), of New York City, was operated on for appendicitis Thursday morning, March 21st, at St. Petersburg, where she was a patient at the Mound Park Hospital. She is now at the home of her parents in the Sunshine City, and as soon as she is sufficiently able to travel, she will rejoin her husband in the North. Her many friends will be gratified to learn of her favorable convalescence.

Attendance at the Easter service in St. Cloud was the largest ever recorded, twenty-five deaf from eight cities in the State being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Wortman, of St. Petersburg, were Easter visitors in Stuart, as guests of their married daughter, while their mother lingered at Sarasota

Allentown, Pa.

The new election for officers of the Allentown Club for the Deaf was held in the club hall, April 6th, 1929. Lloyd Charlesworth won the presidency; William Bahl, vice-presidency; Harold Berger and Howard Hewhard being re-elected as secretary and treasurer respectively, and Henry Handwerk newly elected as fee collector. Stuart McCormack, E. Van Etten, and Lewis Kleis were chosen as trustees, the former being chairman. Frederick Wolfe and William Young were retiring from each of their duties as president and fee collector. The former could not accept any office, for he would be unable to attend any session of the club because of his night work. Big success is hoped from the good abilities of the new officers.

Lloyd Charlesworth and Stuart McCormack have purchased newly-built houses, which they will occupy very soon.

Harold Snyder, a member of the board of managers of the P. S. A. D., attended a party in Lancaster, Pa., under the auspices of the new branch of P. S. A. D., recently organized. He was there to aid the party to success, in accordance with the order of the president of the P. S. A. D.

Clinton Wiess has returned from Harrisburg, Pa., to resume his old job as carpenter here, after being laid off for almost a month. His friends were glad to be with him again and hope that his job will keep him here permanently.

Frederick Wolfe has been working at night as newspaper operator, and seems to like his job. His only disappointment is that he can't attend the deaf club.

Thomas Eroh recently started a grocery business in his district and makes big profits. He decided to continue his business as long as he can. He is a semi-mute.

Some various plays, under the auspices of the Allentown Club for the Deaf, were given in the club hall, and success followed tireless efforts of good actors—especially William Bahl and Harrison Litzenberger. A good crowd enjoyed the plays greatly.

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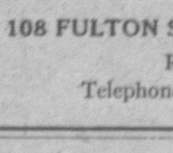
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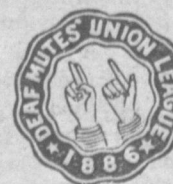
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